# **Citizen Trade Policy Commission**

Thursday, December 16, 2004 @ 9:00 a.m. **Business, Research & Economic Development Committee Cross State Office Building Room #208** 

## **AGENDA**

#### 1. Call to Order. (9:00 a.m.)

Commission Chairs, Commission Members, Staff

- Welcome and introductions
- Preview of meeting agenda and expectations

### 2. Commission Work Session. (9:15 a.m.)

Commission Chairs, Commission Members, Staff

- A. Review draft introductory letters
- B. Discuss first public hearing in Bangor
  - Finalize date, time and location
  - Discuss how to conduct & structure public hearing

#### C. CAFTA

- Discuss proposal to generate list of commission's questions about CAFTA to send as letter to USTR, Maine's Congressional delegation, etc.
- D. Discuss draft legislation
- E. Review Commission workplan & suggested framework for subcommittees
- F. Schedule future meetings

Break 11: 00 a.m.

3. Subcommittee Work Session. (11:15 a.m.)

Healthcare Subcommittee (Utilities Committee Room - # 209) Labor/Economic Development Subcommittee (BRED Committee Room - #208)

Natural Resources/Environment Subcommittee (Criminal Justice Committee - Room #211)

- Develop workplans
- Plan future meetings
- Generate CAFTA questions for CTPC letter
- 4. Reconvene full committee for subcommittee workplan report backs (15 minutes)
- 5. Adjournment. (1:00 p.m.)

<sup>\*</sup> All times tenative